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ELECTION COMMISSION, INDIA

NOTIFICATIONS

New Delhi, the 2nd December 1961

S.O. 2854-A.—Whereas a vacancy has occurred in the seats allotted to the State of West Bengal in the Council of States by reason of the death of Shri Atindra Nath Bose;

Now, therefore, in pursuance of sub-section (1) of section 147 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951, the Election Commission hereby calls upon the elected members of the Legislative Assembly of the State of West Bengal to elect before the 23rd December, 1961, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act and of the Rules and Orders made thereunder, a person to fill the vacancy so caused.

[No. 100/2/68/61(1).]

S.O. 2854-B.—In pursuance of sub-section (1) of section 39 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951, the Election Commission hereby appoints for the election to the Council of States to be held in pursuance of its notification No. 100/2/68/61(1), dated the 2nd December, 1961—

- (a) the 9th December, 1961, as the last date for making nominations;
- (b) the 11th December, 1961, as the date for the scrutiny of nominations;
- (c) the 14th December, 1961, as the last date for the withdrawal of candidatures;
- (d) the 22nd December, 1961, as the date on which a poll shall, if necessary, be taken; and
- (e) the 23rd December, 1961, as the date before which the election shall be completed.

[No. 100/2/68/61(2).]

S.O. 2854-C.—In pursuance of section 21 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951, the Election Commission, in consultation with the Government of West Bengal, hereby designates the Secretary, West Bengal Legislative Assembly, Calcutta, to be the Returning Officer for the election to the Council of States to be held in pursuance of its notification No. 100/2/68/61(1), dated the 2nd December, 1961.

[No. 100/2/68/61(3).]

S.O. 2854-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 22 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951, the Election Commission hereby appoints Shri Syamapada Banerjee, Assistant Secretary, West Bengal Legislative

Assembly Secretariat, Calcutta, to assist the Returning Officer for the election to the Council of States to be held in pursuance of its notification No. 100/2/68/61(1), dated the 2nd December, 1961.

[No. 100/2/68/61(4).]

S.O. 2854-E.—In pursuance of section 56 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951, the Election Commission hereby fixes the hours from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. as the hours during which a poll shall, if necessary, be taken for the election to the Council of States to be held in pursuance of its notification No. 100/2/68/61(1), dated the 2nd December, 1961.

[No. 100/2/68/61(5).]

By order,

PRAKASH NARAIN Secy.